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Town and Parish News.

EASTER CARDS at ALBERT'S

-Next Sunday will be Easter .-

Embroideries and Laces at 1 cent an interesting one.

To conclude this short article on the per yard, at the bargain house of Baner & Weil.

FRESH BUTTERMILK ON ICE, EVERY DAY, at the PAR-

Front street.

-AT the New Orleans Jockey Club ace Course, on the 10th inst., Cora Henry L. Biossat, Business Manager Race Course, on the 10th inst., Cora L., in the Morris stakes, ran a mile BORN:-To Mrs. Julius F. Ariail,

day, April 11th, a fine boy.

-Base Balls, Balls, a full line of Base Balls, from 5 cents to \$1.50-Spalding's Bats, a large supply.

At the Eagle Drug Store.

ON ICE,

PARLOR BAR.

EVERY DAY. - - - EVERY DAY.

-Furniture of all descriptions. You can fit up an entire household from Bauer & Weil's warehouses. Furniture, mattresses, house furnishing goods and all that is necessary to a complete outfit can be found there.

BEST STOCK of TOILET SOAPS and PERFUMES, at ALBERT'S.

day mornings at 7 o'clock. Sermon Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Friday evening at 7 o'clock, Way of the Cross. Easter Sunday, first Mass at 6:30 o'clock and High Mass at 9:30 o'clock. After High Mass the pews wish to attract that intelligent immigration which is deemed essential to the development of our resources, we must see that the same time to arouse or cask; Gage Forest Park Ry looked upon as in the market.

WATTING & will be rented.

-An interesting communication from the pen of Mr. Geo. W. Stafford, now of Gainesville, Texas, and who is a brother of our Sheriff, on the subject ty will have the valuable assistance of of "The Widow of Stonewall Jack-the La. Democrat in their efforts to seson," appears in this issue of the Democrat in their efforts to set a large attendance of teachers not We fully agree with the isl gentleman in his line of argument, as will every other sensible Southerner, and more particularly ex-Confederate 100 dozen variegated linen lines at 20 on Sunday's train.

united in the holy bonds of matrimony, Rev. B. F. White, of Alexandria, offiyoung lady. The church was most artistically decorated, and a large number of friends were present to wit-ness the ceremony. The bride re-braided Harrison & Carlyle's Hooks, ceived many handsome and valuable which are considered the best in the

-FLOWER POTS at ALBERT'S

held their annual meeting in New Or- sure death and devastation to Flies, leans last week. The next session is Musquitoes, etc. For sale at the Eato be beld at Baton Ronge, on the gle Drug Store. second Tuesday of May, 1890. The following officers were elected: President, C. D. Owens, of Avovelles; Vice President, First Congressional Dis- (Bamboo.) At the Eagle Drug Store. trict, Dr. A. B. Miles, Vice-President, Second District, Dr. Chas. Chassaig nac; Third District, Dr. Thos. Hebert; Limbrick Hooks. Numbers from 1 to Fourth District, Dr. J C. Brown; 16 at 12 cents per 100, at the Eagle Fifth District, Dr. R. W. Seay; Sixth Drug Store. District, Dr. J S. Branch ; Recording Secretary, Dr. P. B. McCutcheon; Dav.

THE FIREMEN'S EXCURSION

The committee appointed by the This trip, the first of the kind ever

be largely attended. Let the committee having the mat-

be in store for all.

marvelons, and where all the latest where sights are to be seen, would be

subject we publish the letter of Mr. P. W. Linski, whose home is now in Dallas, and who is well known in Alexandria, being a fireman bere for -Ginghams at 8 cents a yard at the members of the Stonewall Hook and leaders of low prices, Bauer & Weil, Ladder Co. He tells what he will do:

DALLAS, TEXAS,

FRIEND B .: - Thanks for copy of April 10th. If the boys will come to Dallas will make visit as pleasant as on Thursday, April 11th, a fine boy. To Mrs. Chas. W. Carruth, Thurs- electric light and daylight. You will please notify me of the dates Excursion, Ball, Pienic, etc.

Yours truly, P. W. Linski.

- For the first time I will now introduce white and red wines direct. BUTTERMILK, - BUTTERMILK, The best made in California, equally as good as any imported, if not better, at a less cost. This result is brought about by home made wine, not subject JACOB GEIGER.

River News.

The steamer John D. Scully passed down Sunday with a very good load. The independent steamer Dacotab, with 6000 sacks cotton seed and between 50 and 60 bales of cotton, came

down Monday.

The same day the new boat purchased by the merchants of Jefferson, Texas, and which steamer is to run in phead guilty, given 5 days in jail. conjunction with the Dacotah, going -MR. Alex Kalman, representing above Shreveport to Jefferson, arrived Jones, Edwards & Co., of St. Lonis, here from Monroe. The Friendly is to kill, guilty, and sentenced to twelve stock of Spring Goods now fully dis visited Alexandria for the first time in not as large as our Ferry boat here, the interest of his firm, last week. He but the report is that she can carry is a genial, whole soul gentleman, a about 700 bales of cotton. The boat rattling drummer, and by the way the is a small craft, with one chimney and only one we ever saw who could speak one boiler; and is about 80 feet long. the language of the "heathen Chinee." She had up a big sign in front which She had up a big sign in front which

at ALBERT'S

-The services in St. Francis Xavier's Catholic Church during this week
will be as follows: Thursday and Fri
day mornings at 7 o'clock. Sermon
in the property of the schools, and at the same time to arouse
schools, and at the same time to arouse
the people to a deeper interest in adneaimprove our common schools. In this improvement no agency is more effectual than a series of successful teachers' institutes. But in this age nothing succeeds without the powerful support of the press, and I trust that the Normal School Faculonly from Rapides but from other par-

FISHING TACKLE

cents per doz: 100 dozen cotton lines -At Lecoute, on the 9th inst. Miss at 15 cents per doz. The above lines Ola Waddill, of that place, and Mr. are small, and for perch. Also in J. C. Perry, of Coleraine, N. C., were stock Spears, which are used for assassinating the larger species of the atives. finny tribe at the dead hour of midparish, and a beautiful and charming plished by the torch. For sale at the rived here last week. Mrs. Green ciating. The bride is a native of this night. This last scene is only accom-Eagle Drug Store.

> -A full line of Trolls, Silk Lines, market. Floats, Sinkers, etc.

At the Eagle Drug Store.

-In transit 50,000 cans of oriental

-500 Japan Fishing Poles at 20 Alexandria on Monday. cents. Jointed Poles from \$1 to \$10,

-Minnow buckets, 50,000 Kerby

-On Saturday at sheriff's sale here, Treasurer and Librarian, Dr. R. H. the property in the town of Boyce, in this Parish, belonging to the succesest goods and lowest prices in Groceties, go to Bauer & Weil's mammoth
Bry Goods establishment on Front
Street. This is the place to find what

This is the place to find what

Stoud of Affect Kneggs was sold to
Mrs. M. R. James for \$500. Ninety
acres of land belonging to the succession of Thos. Wilson, was also sold
by the sheriff to Messrs. George Ratcliffe and A. A. Goodwin for \$375.

This land is a control of Churchwell Hooper
was that of a planter; his name held the
reputation of hospitality, which descended to him by heredity-staviator was the
motto on the lintel of his door.

The obsequies of the Masonic Order and This land is near Bovce.

A STATE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

It has been determined by the Fire Department, of this city, to make President of the State Normal fooled in buying patent medarrangements with the railroad for the School to hold an Institute in Alex- icines that they have come to grand excursion from here to Dallas, andria, commencing on the 13th of the conclusion that all of May and continuing five days. The what results have been brought about great importance of this work, in the them are a failure. This is in the way of procuring cars, rates, etc. development and improvement of the reason why the people of This trip, the first of the kind ever our system of Education, cannot be given by and under the auspices of the too much considered, and its paramount importance to Teachers most pleasant and enjoyable one, and, should entist their earnest interest, one the blamed for refusing to our system of Education, cannot be Rapides cannot believe what and insure the presence of each and not be blamed for refusing to every one, as well as all others who believe the wonderful but Let the committee having the matter in charge work the scheme with a ter in charge work the scheme with a tion of the Normal method of teachvim and push from now out; let them send out dodgers and other advertising metter, and get the adjacent towns of Chenevville, Lecomte and Boyce interested in the proposed pleasure trip. We think that at least two hundred or two hundred or two hundred and fifty people godd or two hundred or the Normal method of teaching will be a leading feature in the exercises, and two well graded primary classes will be handled by the lady and gentlemen teachers of the Normal school, for the especial benefit of all teachers. Certificates of well-known Alexandria Groor two hundred and fifty people could be induced to go. A crowd of this magnitude, composed of members of both sexes, would be a representative one; besides "a huge old time" would preference, all else being equal, one; besides "a huge old time" would be composed by the which it is being used as soon one; besides "a huge old time" would The Institute will be opened by the Which it is being used as soon purity, strength and wholesomeness .-State Superintendent, and Prof. as proper time has elapsed. More economical than the ordinary kinds The trip to Dallas, the magic city, Thos. D. Boyd, and it is expected that whose growth in the last few years is all teachers in this Parish will not all teachers in this Parish will not only atrend, but use every possible enterprises have been set on foot, and effort to make the Institute a grand success.

JONAS ROSENTHAL. President School Board.

-COTS and HAMMOCKS at ALBERT'S.

District Court.

Since our last issue the following business has been transacted in the District Court :

In the case of A. E. Watson for manslaughter, the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

Emma Overton, larceny, mistrial. L. F. Gossens, concealed weapons, not guilty.

Geo. Anthony's case continued. John Young, rtailing liquor, continned.

lead guilty, sentenced 20 days, subect to work on public roads.

Billy Wells and Ephraim Johnson, respass, not gvilty.

Martin Welsh, manslaughter, not

John Williams et als, larceny, coninued.

Chas. Watts, assault and battery, found guilty; sentenced to pay 85 and costs, or 20 days in jail. Montfort Wells, forgery, continued.

Pidgy Davis, larceny, not guilty. Peter White, case re-assigned for Wednesday, April 17th.

and case continued. . Geo. Hamilton, concealed weapons. Geo. Hamilton, felonious assault

found guilty of shooting at with intent nonths in penitentiary. Monday the case of the State vs. M.

G. White and R. P. Hunter; District for their selection of superior goods, Attorney Andrews and E. G. Hunter and of the most approved and latest

-To be found at the Eagle Drug Store: Budweiser Beer by the dozen or cask; Gugenheimer Rye of 1881, Forest Park Rye of 1880, which are will buy. looked upon as the two best whiskies

MATTING & WINDOW SHADES at ALBERT'S.

PERSONAL .- Mr. Henarie Huie left on Monday, by the Dacotah, for New Orleans, where he goes to have his eyes treated.

Sam Pincus, of Cousbatta, the necessary attachments. visit riends here last week.

-Mr. and Mrs. Phil. Asher, of

-Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Levy, of Shreveport, arrived here on Sunday.

They will spend several days in ou midst, visiting their friends and rel--Mrs. Joe Greenwall, nee Carrie

Kuhnagel, and her infant daughter arwall is visiting her relatives here, and will remain some time.

-Mr. S. Cullen has gone to New

-After a short spell of sickness Mr. T. N. Miles is himself again. -On Monday, April 22d, a "Rose Party," will be given at the residence was so named.

of R. W. Bringhurst, under the auspi--The State Medical Association Insect Powder. This will prove a Music and Games are on the program, ces of the W. C. T. U. Dialogues, and all are assured a pleasant time. The public is cordially invited to at-

-BABY CARRIAGES at ALBERT'S.

-At the Eagle Drug store you will always find McCuen's Ale, Bass' Ale, and E. & J. Burke's Extra Stout Porter.

-The Hebrews of our city commenced the celebration of their Pass-

ter I ense, below town.

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be cured of the diseases for Tms powder never varies. A marvel of

diseases for which it is a spe- alim or phosphate powders. Sold only in cific call on or address the State agent, H. C. FRANCKS, Alexandria, La. He has made Alexandria his headquarters and can be found at the Osborn Hotel. Royal Germeteur is put up in one gallon jugs, and sold at \$2.50. WILLIAM A. GRIFFIN)

SCHOOLS.

LECOMPTE, LA., April 10th, 1889. Public Schools that are continued nine months in a year, and have one hundred pupils or over, are entitled to and will receive a part of the Pea-

body fund. The Alexandria white school being largely over the required number, a majority of the members of the Prince Cotton, assault, not guilty. School Board who were present on Prince Cotton, concealed weapons, the 6th inst., considered it best to continue the present school term two months longer, making six months school now, and three more this fall, in order to place the Alexandria white school in a position to get the Peabody fund.

This being the only public school in our parish that will be taught during the months of May and June, pupils from any part of our parish will have the same right to attend the school as the pupils will who live in Alexandria.

The School Board considers it a school for Rapides Parish, and not Jas. Pendleton, larceny, mistrial, specially for the benefit of Alexan-

H. F. Long. Supt. Public Education.

-BAUER & Weil have their great played, and the effect upon the eye is Monday the case of the State vs. M.

T. Dozier, for felonious assault, was tried. Accused was represented by J.

Bluer & Weil have long been noted to the control of superior goods, vs.

No. 3588. She had up a big sign in front which read—

"Young Drootah, Come to stay—
Pools and Trusts
Have had their day."

—Under date of Natchitoches, La, baril 13th, 1889, Prof. Thos. D. Boyd, of the Louisiana State] Norma miles below Colfax, in Rapides Parish.

—CHINA and GLASSWARE at ALBERT'S

—The services in St. Francis Xav.

—The se culty in finding what you want in this mammeth Dry Goods Emporium. Call on Bauer & Weil and learn how far a constant of their respective claims, and vote for and elect a Syndic to administer the pro-

-For the largest assortment, freshest goods and lowest prices in Groce-ries go to Bauer & Weil's mammoth Grocery House, adjoining their large Dry Goods establishment on Front street. That is the place to find what you want.

-Hammocks at the Eagle Drug Store, from 75 cents to \$6, with all

— Mr. and Mrs. Phil. Asher, of Natchitoches, are in Alexandria on a visit to relatives. They came down passed up by here on Sunday.

IN MEMORY -OF-

CHURCHWELL A. HOOPER,

WHO DEPARTED THIS LIFE APRIL 11, 1889. IN THE 67TH YEAR OF

TANDEM FELIX!

Churchwell Hooper was a native of this Parish, born at the homestead of his parents, near the Town of Alexandria. His father, Thomas Hooper, a pioneer emigrant to this country, married Henrietta Wells, widow of Alexander Fulton, in honor of whom the Town of Alexandria was so named. About the age of sixteen years young

About the age of sixteen years young Churchwell, with the gallant and lamented McWaters, was sent to a high school in Maryland, where he was educated in the studies of the curriculum of those days. On his return home he entered the office of Thomas & Flint, with the intention to study law. But his buoyant and assertive nature soon disclosed the fact that Montesquien and Blackstone were not the books which he loved most to read; the books of his heart he found in the run-ning brooks, in the stirring echoes of the

hunter's horn.

At an early age he macried Albertina At an early age he married Albertana Watson, a lovely young lady of this Parish, who survived that event only a few years. A second marriage found him united with Miss Glenn, an only daughter of Mr. Samuel Glenn. Fresh from a Seminary for young ladies in Mississippi, Miss Glenn offered at the hymeneal altar all the requirements to make life happy. Thirty years and more elapsed before she was

The obsequies of the Masonic Order and those of the Christian church were colebrated over his remains.



For information as to the the multitude of low test, short weight Wall street, New York. ROYAL BAKING POWDER Co., 106

STATE OF LOUISIANA

Twelfth Judicial District Court in and for Rapides Parish.

No. 3585. HIS CREDITORS.

SURRENDER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of William A. Griffin, of Pineville, Rapides Parish, Louisiana, that he has made a voluntary surrender of his property for the benefit of his creditors, which surrender has been accepted by the Honora ble the Judge of the 12th Judicial District Court in and for the Parish of Rapides and State of Louisiana, and that all further proceedings against either his person or the property of said William A. Griffin bave been stayed; that a meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of and before Andrew J. Cammack, Notary Public, in the Town of Alexandria, on Monday, the 22d day of April, A. D. 1889, for the purpose of explaining exactly the amount of their respective claims, and vote for and elect a Syndic to ad-

minister the property surrendered. LS. Witness the Honorables W. F. Blackman and A. en under my hand and seal of Court, on this 18th day of March, A. D. 1889. C. L. RANSDELL, Meh 20-tdm. Deputy Clerk

STATE OF LOUISIANA

HIS CREDITORS.

\ \(\sum_{\text{L. S.}} \) \(\text{Witness the Honorables} \) \(\text{W. F. Blackman and A. V.} \) Coco, Judges, and given under my hand and seal of said Court, on this the 30th day of March, A. D. 1889.
GEO. O. WATTS,

A true copy:
GEO. O. WATTS,
Clerk.
Filed March 30th, 1889.
GEO. O. WATTS,
Clerk.

ROBT. P. HUNTER, Attorney at Atty at Law & Notary Law.

A. J. CAMMACK, Atty at Law & Notary Public,

HUNTER & CAMMACK, Real Estate Brokers

Land Agents and Immigration : Solicitors, to display samples.

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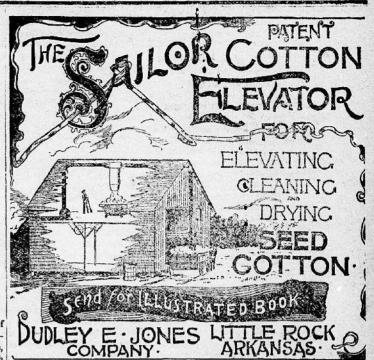
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THIS LARGE, MODERN, COMMODI-I ous and comfortable hotel has just been completed and is first-class in every particular. The bedrooms are furnished new throughout, and will be found very comfortable and clean. The dining room is magnificent, pleasant in summer and winter. The table will be furnished with the best that can be had in this and the New Orleans market, and the cooking un-der the management of the promiser.

New Orleans market, and the cooking in-der the management of the proprietor himself, will be found as delicious and palatable as that served at the best Ho-tels in the country.

The travelling public are cordially in vited to give the Orsborn Hotel a trial.

The proprietor is confident that the ac-commodations will be found much super-tor to authing ever before offered have

DESCRIPTION NEATLY EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE. GIVE US A TRIAL General Hardware,

STATE OF LOUISIANA

Parish of Rapides-12th Judicial District Conrt.

SUCCESSION OF MRS. C. E. MERCHANT. No. 535.

WHEREAS JOEL B. MERCHANT. Administrator of the above number of the shore number of the shore number of the shore of bered and entitled Succession has this day filed therein a Final Account of his administration, praying that the same be approved and homologated: Notice is hereby given to all whom it doth or may concern that the said account will be approved, homologated and made the judgment of the Court and the Administrator discharged and his bond cancelled unless opposition is filed thereto within the delay prescribed by law.

By order of the Court.

(L. S.) Given under my hand and seal officially, at Alexandria, La., on this the 6th day of April, A. D. 1889.

C. L. RANSDELL, April 10, 1889-2t. Deputy Clerk.

M. C. MOSELEY



Eclipse Livery Stable Nels Taylor, - Proprietor.

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Grant, Natchitoches, Sabine, St. Landry and Avoyelles, in the Supreme Court of the State, and in the Federal Courts.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF RAPIDES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN have under Act No. 64 of the General Assembly of Lonisiana, approved July 8th, 1888, made application to homestead the following State lands: Southeast quarter section 10, town ship 5, north range 3 east, Louisians meridian, this March 11, 1899.

Mch 13 30d. ISAAC H. TARVER.

glass, Wooden-ware, STOVES and SADDLERY, Cor. Front and Johnston Streets ALEXANDRIA, LA. Special inducements to cash buyers.